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SUBJECT: VIETNAM REFUGEE

1. WE HAVE ASKED FRENCH AMBASSADOR IN WASHINGTON IF HIS GOVERNMENT WOULD ASSIST MME. VEUVE HUYNH THO SORYTHOR MONNIVANN TO DEPART FROM SAIGON ON FRENCH FLIGHT TO PARIS, BANGKOK, OR HONG KONG. OUR UNDERSTANDING IS THAT MME. MONNIVANN HAS FRENCH NATIONALITY CLAIM THROUGH HER FATHER (WHO WAS BORN IN CORSICA). SHE IS CAMBODIAN CITIZEN NOW IN SAIGON AS A REFUGEE FROM CAMBODIA. OUR HOPE IS THAT FRENCH WILL ISSUE NECESSARY TRAVEL DOCUMENTS AND ENABLE HER TO DEPART ON ONE OF THEIR FLIGHTS. WE HAVE ASSURED THE AMBASSADOR HERE WE WOULD DO ALL WE COULD TO ENABLE HER THEN TO ENTER THE U.S., WHERE SHE HAS CLOSE RELATIVES.

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2. WE UNDERSTAND FRENCH AMBASSADOR IS FORWARDING LETTERS ON THE CASE TO FRENCH CONSULATE IN SAIGON, PRESUMABLY VIA THE QUAI. CASE IS ESSENTIALLY SIMILAR TO OTHER CASES IN WHICH EMBOFF (PRATT) ASKED GOF TO FACILITATE DEPARTURE OF INDIVIDUALS WITH TIES TO U.S., WITH OUR MORAL ASSURANCE THAT WE WOULD THEN DO ALL WE COULD TO ADMIT THE PERSON TO THE U.S. VANCE

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